

## Venue

The workshop "Learning how to write a proposal by writing a proposal" will take place in Dresden, Germany.

Monday, 23 February 2015, morning:

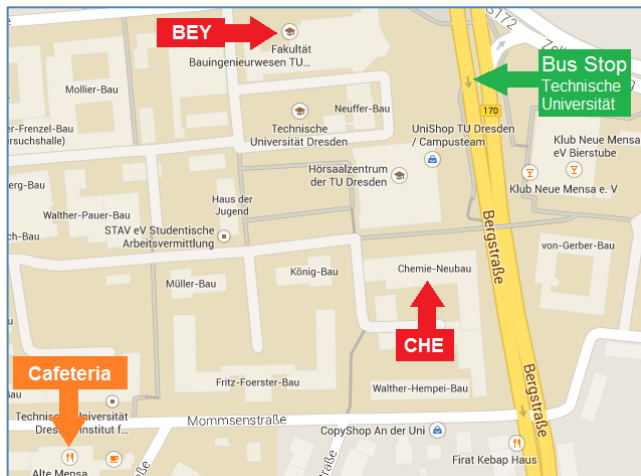
Room BEY 81/H (ground floor)  
Beyer-Bau  
George-Bähr-Str.1  
Campus TU Dresden

23 February afternoon until 27 February 2015:

Room CHE 183 (2<sup>nd</sup> floor)  
Chemie/Hydrowissenschaften  
Bergstr. 66  
Campus TU Dresden

## How to get there

From InterCityHotel Dresden, take bus number 66 in front of the main entrance of the Hauptbahnhof (main train station) until the Technische Universität bus stop (~4 minutes). The Beyer-Bau building is just in front of the bus stop. The Chemie/ Hydrowissenschaften building is located approximately 100 m to the south (next to the footbridge). Lunch is at cafeteria "Alte Mensa", 5 min from Chemie/Hydro.



## Accommodation

Single rooms including breakfast are provided for the IPSWaT-alumni.

InterCityHotel Dresden  
At Dresden Hauptbahnhof (main train station).  
Wiener Platz 8  
Dresden

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Workshop

## Learning how to write a proposal by writing a proposal



**February 23 – 27, 2015**

Technische Universität Dresden  
Faculty of Environmental Sciences  
School of Civil and Environmental Engineering  
Dresden, Germany

## Scope

TU Dresden Faculty of Environmental Sciences (TUD) comprises three departments: forest, geo and hydro sciences. Research work and teaching in the faculty is focusing on sustainable development at global, regional and local scale of human sphere of life, as well as on Earth System Monitoring. Future-oriented interdisciplinary topics address issues of documentation, modelling and risk management in the fields of environment and urban areas, tackling demographic change, industrialization, environmental pollution, deforestation, climate change, water resources, desertification and loss of biodiversity.

With its wealth of professional expertise, the EPC (European Project Centre, TU Dresden) has been successfully providing advice and support for EU-funded projects in a wide range of programmes.

The IPSWaT (International Post-graduate Studies on Water & Technology, PT-DLR) is an international post-graduate scholarship programme in the field of water research. During the last 12 years, about 400 scholars from 64 countries worldwide were awarded with a Master- or PhD-scholarship at one of 24 German universities. The BMBF-funded program was coordinated by the PT-DLR in Bonn and ended in 2014.

UNU-FLORES (United Nations University, FLORES Institute) advances a nexus approach to sustainable management of environmental resources through academic research, teaching and capacity development. It conducts post-graduate programs together with TUD and other partners in the field of systems and flux analysis, capacity development and governance, water resources management, soil and land-use management and waste management.

Since several years, IPSWaT/PT-DLR, TUD and UNU-FLORES have developed a strong cooperation: Numerous Master and PhD-IPSWaT-scholars have studied at TUD; UNU-FLORES and TUD conduct postgraduate courses together; in 2013, IPSWaT-scholars and IPSWaT-alumni wrote one of the joint papers for the Kick-Off Workshop on "Nexus of Water, Soil and Waste" conducted by UNU-FLORES in Dresden.

By offering the workshop "Learning how to write a proposal by writing a proposal", all institutions aim to support the advancement of the policy dialogue between EU member states and associated countries with an explicit focus on societal challenges that have been identified to be of mutual interest for different regions, namely issues of climate change, water, soil and waste. In particular, by the concrete preparation of thematic proposals allowing mutual learning and exchange, the workshop will strengthen the capacity building and the impact of individual actions and will give support to the development of innovative pilot activities.

## Research topics

Water, soil, waste and climate change in developing countries.

## Participants

Main participants of the workshop are IPSWaT PhD-alumni.

**The sessions on Monday, 23 February 2015 until 4 p.m. are opened for all young researchers, PostDocs, Master and PhD students.**

## Core schedule

### Monday, 23 February 2015:

- 08:30 Registration
- 09:00 Introduction (TUD, IPSWaT, UNU)  
"Recent challenges in global water research"  
Prof. Dr. Grambow, TUM/StMUV
- 11:10 "PhD & PostDoc programmes of DAAD"  
Dr. Finken, DAAD
- 14:00 Introduction on application to different EU funding schemes  
Friederike Noack & Bertram Skibinski, EPC-TUD
- 16:00 Presentation of individual proposals (participants)

### Tuesday, 24 February 2015:

- 09:00 "Key aspects of Marie Sklodowska-Curie Individual Fellowships (IF)" & "A different glimpse of Marie Sklodowska-Curie proposals"  
Bertram Skibinski, EPC-TUD; Dr. Bauer, TUD
- 10:30 Overview: "Excellence", B.Skibinski, EPC, TUD
- 13:00 Practice: "Excellence" part
- 18:30 City walk and social event (meeting at the Hotel)

### Wednesday, 25 February 2015:

- 09:00 Overview: "Implementation", „Training and Transfer of knowledge" & "Impact"  
Bertram Skibinski, EPC, TUD
- 13:00 "From GECZENGLOTT to TRANSGLOTT: My experiences with Marie Sklodowska-Curie IF",  
Dr. Bissiri, Queen Margaret Univ., Edinburgh, UK
- 15:00 Practice: "Implementation" part

### Thursday, 26 February 2015:

- 09:00 Practice: "Training and Transfer of knowledge"
- 13:00 Practice: "Impact" part

### Friday, 27 February 2015:

- 09:00 Presentation of revised proposals  
Supervisors, TUD; Bertram Skibinski, EPC, TUD
- 13:00 Next steps until deadline  
Prof. Bernhofer, TUD; B. Skibinski, EPC, TUD